

In the Specification

Kindly replace paragraph [0009] with the following:

However, as shown in, for example, Japanese Examined Patent Application Publication No. 1-53353, Japanese Examined Patent Application Publication No. 4-2672, and Japanese ~~Examined~~ Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 6-146001, a surface treatment film containing an organic resin and a hexavalent chromium compound is formed on a plating surface to meet up the above-described applications under present circumstances. Therefore, a film containing no chromium, that is, a so-called chromium-free film, has not been achieved.